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West Virginia Public Employees Insurance Agency Copay Update

Express Scripts administers the pharmacy benefit for the West Virginia Public Employees Insurance Agency (PEIA) and AccessWV. PEIA and AccessWV recently updated their copay structure for non-formulary (3rd Tier) drugs. Beginning on 07/01/2012, the copay for a non-formulary (3rd Tier) drug increased from \$50.00 to 75% co-insurance per month supply. The plan will continue to use the West Virginia High Performance formulary.

There is no longer a maintenance medication discount for 3rd Tier drugs.

Please advise members to inquire with their physician regarding alternatives to brand non-preferred drugs.